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Plymouth, March 7.

SEveral Vessels sailed hence the last week for *St. Malo's* and *Morlaix*, to lade Salt, and others are making ready, hoping to have made their Voyage time enough, to be out of all danger, in case of a Rupture. The 4th instant arrived here the *Dolphin* of this place from *Croisicque*, the Master reports, that he met in the Channel eight *French* Men of War, who commanded him under their Lee; he knows not whether they were going, but at that time they took their course Eastward.

Lime, March 7. The men belonging to the Ship the *Rose* of this place, which was taken by the *Turks* in *January* last, are arrived here in a Vessel from *Spain*, they give us this following account; That on the 21 of *January* last, they came from *Villa Nova* with their Lading of Figs; that the next day they discovered four *Turks* Men of War, mounted with 30 Guns each, and upward, whereupon they endeavoured to return to their Port, but could not, one of the *Algierins* being got between them and it, wherefore to save themselves, they were necessitated to run ashore near..... where the men got to land in their Boat, but the *Algierins* manning out their Chaloups, fetched off the said Vessel, notwithstanding the Castle bestowed many shot upon them. They add, that they had learnt that there were seven *Algierins* more abroad.

Deale, March 8. This afternoon came into this Town three Companies of Foot, which are designed to be sent over to *Ostend*. The last News we have from those Parts, is, that the *French* are set down before *Ipres*, after having seemed to have had a design upon *Bruges*, in which place, it's said, there is at present a pretty good Garison.

Vienna, Febr. 28. The last week arrived here a Courier with Letters from the Imperial Minister at *Constantinople*, which give an account, That in a late Audience that Minister had of the Grand Visier, he had assured him, that the Grand Signior was resolved to maintain inviolably on his part the present friendship and good correspondence between the two Empires, and as a proof thereof, that he had given particular and strict Orders to all the Bassa's and Governors of his Frontier places, not to give the least protection or countenance to the Rebels of *Hungary*; and that he had given the same commands to the Prince of *Transilvania*. The same Letters add, That very great preparations were making throughout all the *Ottoman* Territories, for the carrying on the War against the *Moscovites*, though at the same time the Letters we receive from *Poland* say, that that Court had been alarmed with an Advice they received, that the *Moscovites* were endeavouring to clap up a Peace with the *Turks*, upon very advantageous terms to the latter, in which if they should succeed, it is feared the *Ottomans* may employ their Arms against the *Poles*, for which apprehension there seems to be the more ground, for that the Grand Vizier has hitherto raised several difficulties, which have retarded the Ratification of the late Treaty between the Crown of *Poland* and the *Port*.

Dantzick, March 3. The affairs of this City are not as yet so well setled as were to be wished, and there continues private animosities and discontents. Many are offended to see that they of the *Roman* Church have, by the Kings favor, at length gained, what hath been so often refused them, *viz.* of entring into the Senate, by which means they will become Partners in the Government of this City.

Hamburgh, March 12. Here are various discourses in Town concerning the designs of the Count *Coningsmark*, who, we told you in our last, was come with a Body of men near *Rostocke*; some say that he will march to *Wismar*, where he hath formed a correspondence with some of the principal of the Inhabitants, but this meets with very little belief; the more probable is, that he will make an incursion into the Countrey of *Mecklenburg*, to ruine the same, and by that means deprive the *Brandenburgh* Troops of their subsistence, when they shall come to take the Field. From *Livonia* we have an account, that Count *Bent Horne*, General of the *Suedes* Army, was suddenly dead, which had retarded the march of the said Army, for that fresh Orders must be first expected from *Sueden*, concerning the person to succeed him in that command; and besides we are told, that both the Duke of *Courland*, and the General of *Lithuania*, persist in their resolution, not to permit the *Suedes* Army to pass through those Countries. According to the Advices we receive from *Schonen*, the *Suedes* promise themselves they shall very suddenly be Masters of *Christianstadt*, which place they have held blocked up all this Winter; but on the other hand the *Danes* look upon it to be in a condition to hold out, till such time as they may be able to take the Field to relieve it.

Strasburgh, March 8. The Imperial Officers give out, that their Army will be in the Field by the beginning of the next month, and that in order to it, the Duke of *Lorrain* is returning in all haste from the Imperial Court; they add, that their Army will be composed of 30000 fighting men, the truth of which time must shew. In the mean time the *French* seem not to make any great preparations in these Parts, and it's said that they have not above 10 or 12000 men in *Alsace*. Our Magistrates seem resolved to observe their Neutrality with great exactness for the future.

Francfort, March 10. It is said here with much confidence, that there is a Treaty concluded between the Elector of *Saxony*, and the Duke of *Hanouer*, for the mutual defence of their respective Countries. Every body is now satisfied that the Negotiation of the Cardinal *d'Estree* at the Court of the Elector of *Bavaria*. has not had any effect, especially if it was to engage his Electoral Highness to declare in favor of *France*. The *French* King being gone for *Flanders*, and thereby easing *Germany* of the apprehensions it was in,